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11. (C) Econoff delivered reftel demarche August 19 to MFA's newly arrived Deputy Director General for Counter-Terrorism, Pascual Navarro, informing him that the U.S. had designated an additional 5 Iranian entities under E.O. 13382. Econoff also talked with Juan Manuel Vega Serrano, Deputy Director of Inspection and Capital Movements Control within the Ministry of Economy and Finance, to pass on the same information. Vega Serrano expressed appreciation for the information and assured Econoff that his office expeditiously implements all designations identified at the EU level. Since these 5 Iranian entities were included in an EU Common Position, the Ministry of Economy and Finance will ensure that any assets of reftel entities discovered in Spain are frozen.

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